

# TRIPURA GAZETTE

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**PART--I-- Orders and Notifications by the Government of Tripura,  
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**GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA  
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE & COLLECTOR  
KHOWAI DISTRICT: TRIPURA  
(JUDICIAL SECTION)**

NO.F.V(115)/DM/KH/JDL/BLN/2012/380-89

Dated, 19th May, 2021.

## ORDER UNDER SECTION 144 of Cr.PC

**Whereas**, there is spread of Covid-19 in different parts of the District which poses a major threat to public health and safety of the people and it is also felt that unless measures are put in place to contain the spread of the pandemic, there is chance of large scale spread of Covid-19 in population which is likely to cause loss of human lives;

**AND**

**Whereas**, the Chief Secretary and Chairman, State Executive Committee, Government of Tripura vide Order No.F.2(1)/CS/Home/2020 dated 19th May, 2021 under Section 22(2)(h) of the Disaster Management Act, 2005, has directed for Corona Night Curfew in all areas of the State w.e.f. 6 PM of 19/05/2021 till 5 AM of 26/05/2021 with a view to contain the spread of COVID-19;

**AND**

**Whereas**, I Smt. Smitha Mol M.S., IAS, District Magistrate & Collector, Khowai District, am fully satisfied that there is sufficient ground for imposing restrictions on movement of persons in all areas of Khowai District to prevent danger to public health & human life;

**Now therefore**, I, Smt. Smitha Mol M.S., IAS, District Magistrate & Collector, Khowai District in exercise of powers conferred upon me under section 144 of Cr. P.C, 1973 do hereby order the restrictions:

1. Corona night curfew is hereby imposed between 6 PM to 5 AM everyday in all areas of Khowai district w.e.f. 6 PM of 19<sup>th</sup> May, 2021 till 5 AM of 26<sup>th</sup> May, 2021.
2. Any gathering or movement of individuals & vehicles shall remain strictly prohibited between 6 PM (night) to 5 AM (morning).
3. Functioning of shops, offices, Marriage Halls, restaurants, Cinema Halls, Gymnasium, Swimming Pools, Entertainment Parks, Theatres, Bars and Auditoriums, Assembly Halls and similar places within Khowai District area are prohibited during the said night curfew hours.
4. Social/Political/Sports events/Entertainment/Academic/Cultural/Religious functions/other gathering of all kinds within Khowai District area are prohibited during the said night curfew hours.

### **Exemption**

Restriction will not be applicable for the following:

1. Hospitals, Pharmacies, Pathological/Radiological laboratories.
2. Movement of personnel of State Police/Military/Paramilitary Forces engaged in maintenance of law and order.
3. Movement of patients requiring medical treatment and health services.
4. Movement of Government employees with valid identity card from Head of Office to maintain essential services like Health services, District/Sub divisional/Block Administration, Municipal Services, Power supply, Fire service, Drinking water supply, Media, Jail, Homes of Social Welfare Dept, Food & Civil Supplies, Forest protection and Govt. Staffs assigned with COVID-19 related duties, and COVID volunteers with Identity Cards issued by SDM concerned.

5. Movement of goods including petroleum products, empty goods vehicles, loading and unloading activities.
6. Movement of buses/ light vehicles/Autos and private vehicles only for essential, emergency needs and travel of persons to their destination after disembarking from buses, trains and aeroplanes on production of valid tickets.
7. Movement of persons & vehicles related to Telecommunications, internet services, broadcasting and cable services, IT & IT enabled services
8. Movement of persons and vehicles related to delivery services of all essential goods including food, pharmaceutical, medical equipments etc through e-commerce
9. Movement of persons and vehicles related to petrol pumps, LPG, CNG, Petroleum and Gas retail and storage outlets.
10. Movement of employees engaged in industries/ companies requiring operation of 24 x 7 and in multiple shifts
11. Movement of persons and vehicles related to banks, customs and land port
12. Movement of employees engaged in Airport/Railway and cargo service
13. Marriage in halls/own houses upto 10 PM with maximum 50 guests with prior permission from SDM concerned
14. Maximum 20 persons in funeral/last rites related gathering

Any person violating this prohibitory order shall be liable to be prosecuted under section 188 of IPC and other legal provisions in force. In view of the emergent nature of situation and with a view to ensure public health & safety this order is passed ex-parte & is addressed to public in general.

The Superintendent of Police, Khowai, Tripura shall take necessary measure to strictly enforce the order. The order shall be widely promulgated by the Director, ICA, Govt. of Tripura through electronic media & local daily newspapers.

The SDM, Khowai/Teliamura shall ensure the publicity of this order through miking within the their respective areas.

Given under my hand and seal on 19.05.2021.

  
(Smitha Mol M.S. IAS)  
District Magistrate & Collector  
Khowai District: Tripura